

# Mayor and Town Council Town of Friendsville

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## Ordinance 2011-2 Amendment to Ordinance 2007-3 Tree Protection/Tree Maintenance Ordinance

### AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL OF FRIENDSVILLE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2007-3, SECTION II, TOWN TREE COMMITTEE, LETTER A.

EXPLANATION; CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.  
[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Town Council of Friendsville is authorized by Article 23A of the Maryland Annotated Code and by the Friendsville Town Charter to enact ordinances to protect the health, safety and welfare of residents of and visitors to the Town of Friendsville; and

**WHEREAS**, on July 17, 2007, the Mayor and Town Council of Friendsville adopted a Tree Protection/Tree Maintenance Ordinance, which also established a tree committee. They have since decided to expand the tree committee member qualifications to include not only residents of town but business owners or persons who live within a reasonable distance of town limits.

**NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED AND RESOLVED**, that the referenced Section of the Friendsville Tree Protection/Tree Maintenance Ordinance are hereby amended, as set forth below.

**WHEREAS** paragraph A of Section II states:

A. Creation; membership. There is hereby created and established a Town Tree Committee for The Town of Friendsville, Maryland, which shall consist of five (5) members, one employee of the Town of Friendsville, and three residents of the Town of Friendsville **ONE OF WHICH MAY BE AN OWNER OR OPERATOR OF A BUSINESS WITHIN THE TOWN LIMITS OR RESIDE WITHIN A THREE-MILE RADIUS OF TOWN LIMITS**; and one council member of the Mayor and Town Council, who shall be appointed by the Mayor and approved by the Council

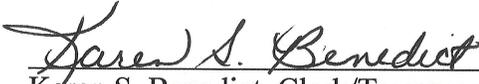
**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, this ordinance shall be dully advertised in accordance with the Policy for the Adoption of Ordinances by the Mayor and Town Council of Friendsville. A public hearing on this amendment to the Tree Protection/Tree Maintenance Ordinance shall be held on August 23, 2011 at the Town Hall, located at 313 Chestnut Street, Friendsville, Maryland 21531.

**INTRODUCED** this 8<sup>th</sup> day of August 2011.

**SECOND READING AND ADOPTION** this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August 2011.

**AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, this ordinance shall be effective as of the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August 2011.

WITNESSED:

  
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Karen S. Benedict, Clerk/Treasurer

APPROVED:

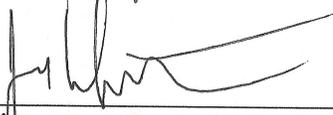
  
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